

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Isao OTA et al.

Group Art Unit: 3725

Application No.:

10/518,769

Examiner:

B. MILLER

Filed: December 21, 2004

Docket No.: 122197

For:

METHOD OF MILLING CERIUM COMPOUND BY MEANS OF BALL MILL

## **AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the May 13, 2008 Office Action, the shortened statutory period for reply having been extended by the attached Petition for Extension of Time, please consider the following:

Amendments to the Claims as reflected in the listing of claims; and Remarks.